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THE ONLY WAY OUT.

Moderation of Indemnity the Plan Urged by the United States.

THE DANGER AHEAD

Even Should a Large Indemnity Be Agreed upon the Collection of It Would Be as Complicated as Matters Are Now.

Washington, Nov. 24.—The attitude of the state department in favor of a moderate indemnity to be paid by China for recent outrages is governed by the belief that a prompt settlement upon such a basis will prevent quarrels among the powers, leading up perhaps, to the partition of China and of conflicts between those having the strongest military forces. One of the propositions, which it is feared may gain headway in case a large indemnity is insisted upon, is the permanent occupation of Chinese ports by foreign troops by way of guaranteeing the interest on the indemnity. This would amount to a new extension of "spheres of influence" and the determination of what troops should occupy particular ports and how they should be administered after occupation might prove an apple of discord among the powers.

The Chinese revenues are not well organized except the customs under Sir Robert Hart, and the meeting of an excessive indemnity would require reorganization. If this cannot be escaped the United States will not be the sufferers in the long run for their citizens are likely to play an important part in reorganization. If the other powers continue to insist upon an indemnity, which is obviously beyond the powers of China to pay in principal the United States may find it advisable to support a plan of fiscal reorganization in China at once.

It is felt that it might be better in some contingencies to provide in advance for an international board of fiscal control rather than leave the matter to future conflicts among the powers. If provision is made at the present time it may be possible to provide for a proper balance of power for a policy which will be acceptable to the Chinese imperial government. Several projects for international control of Chinese finance have been laid before the state department, but have not fallen within the scope of the policy which has thus far been supported by the administration.

If it proves impracticable to bring the other powers to a basis of moderation which will limit the indemnity to an amount which can be paid in full within a few years, it may then be necessary to take up the subject of fiscal control of the internal taxes of China as well as the customs.

LOOKED ON WITH FAVOR.

Great Britain Will Accept Secretary Hay's Advice as to China.

London, Nov. 24.—Secretary Hay's note appealing to the powers to devise measures to bring about an amicable and satisfactory settlement of the Chinese crisis has been received at the foreign office through Lord Pauncefoot, the British ambassador at Washington, but has not yet been answered. The note points out that the difficulties in getting China to execute punishments desired by the powers is so great as to make, in the opinion of the United States, this way of solving the crisis almost unpracticable. Then it does not propose any definite substitutes but suggests an exchange of views whereby the powers can arrive at a better basis of treating with China.

The United States embassy has not received a copy of the note and is in ignorance of its contents.

Judging from the foreign office the opinion is voiced that Great Britain will likely assent gladly to Secretary Hay's proposition.

POWERS ARE SPLIT.

They Are Not in Accord as to the Punishment of Boxer Leaders.

London, Nov. 24.—A serious divergence has arisen in Pekin, says the Tien Tsin correspondent of the Daily Mail wiring Wednesday. Japan, with the United States, Russia and France favor demanding a milder punishment than the execution of Prince Tuan and others while Great Britain, Germany, Austria-Hungary and Italy deem anything less than the death penalty useless.

An important decision has been arrived at however, that this divergence is not to interfere with the general peace negotiations.

Another remarkable feature of the situation is the sudden bold face of Russia, which now declines either to withdraw her troops from the province of Chi Li or to hand over the railway as promised.

An Uneasy Feeling.

London, Nov. 24.—The pessimism reflected by the Washington specials deal-

ing with China finds a keen echo in Great Britain's cabinet. The gloomy foreboding that the United States will be compelled to withdraw from the concert of the powers is only one of the causes of this feeling, for the British ministers are now inclined to believe the present lines of negotiations cannot result satisfactory.

Czar Continues to Improve.

Lividia, Nov. 24.—The bulletin as to the health of the czar says his condition is improved and perfectly satisfactory.

KRUGER AT PARIS.

He Is Given a Grand Welcome There upon His Arrival.

Paris, Nov. 24.—Mr. Kruger and party entered the train at Dijon at 6:30 o'clock this morning. His saloon cars were attached to the train from Riviera to Paris. The train only stopped once en route, at Laroche, where a deputation with flags was waiting at the station to present Mr. Kruger with a warm address of admiration and sympathy for the Boer cause. Elsewhere along the route there were the same scenes as Friday.

Nearing Paris these gatherings grew more frequent and of larger numbers until the train approached the terminus, Gare de Lyon here. Then a remarkable spectacle was presented. Windows and roofs of houses commanding a view of the track were covered with spectators. Railroad employees at every point where a glimpse only of the train itself could be secured cheered lustily. This, however, was merely a forecast of the spectacle which greeted Mr. Kruger's eyes when the train steamed into the station itself.

Notwithstanding the stringent precautions to admit only ticket holders, a large assemblage filled the station, while through the open doors could be seen a huge concourse of people gathered in the courtyard outside. The mayor, municipal councillors, a number of senators, deputies, army officers and reporters were on the platform.

Mr. Kruger was to have passed through the station hall, which had been specially arranged as a salon of honor, being profusely decorated with flowers and where he was to be formally received by the mayor and municipal councillors, but for some reason the mayor welcomed him on the platform instead, and Mr. Kruger, to the great disappointment of those waiting in the salon of honor, passed out through another door to the front of the station where a landau was drawn up. Mr. Kruger entered this vehicle and was at once driven off for his hotel.

Along the boulevards the crowds increased in size and as Kruger reached the central portion of the city the sidewalks were blocked and every window filled with sightseers, trees were climbed and boxes, chairs and ladders brought into use to permit a glimpse of the noted stranger. Within two blocks of the hotel the streets were so crowded that passage was impeded. After reaching the hotel the crowd would not be satisfied until Mr. Kruger appeared at a window.

To Assassinate Kruger.

London, Nov. 24.—There are rumors that an attempt will be made to assassinate Kruger. Information has been conveyed to the authorities of an alleged plan to be executed at Paris at the banquet. Kruger's friends have been notified to be watchful.

Important Insurance Decision.

Chicago, Nov. 24.—In a case involving the disposal of the insurance on the life of Frederick H. Harter, who, with his wife and their household, were burned to death, the appellate court has decided that the deaths of husband and wife must be presumed to have occurred simultaneously, and that as the wife did not inherit the estate of her relatives would have no interest in it. The insurance money was ordered paid to the relatives of the husband.

Milner Will Not Come Home.

London, Nov. 24.—The persistent reports that Sir Alfred Milner, the British high commissioner in South Africa, will be invalided home permanently are groundless. He will be afforded a holiday as soon as feasible. He is the last man the government contemplates withdrawing from South Africa and the state of his health by no means justifies the rumors.

Largest Majority Ever Given.

Franklin, Nov. 24.—Congressman Vincent Boering, Republican, will go back to Washington with the distinction of having received the largest majority ever given to a candidate for congress in this state. His majority is 18,125 over Smith, the Democratic candidate in the Eleventh or mountain district.

Guards on Money Trains.

Cheyenne, Wyo., Nov. 24.—The Union Pacific has adopted the plan of placing armed guards upon trains which carry large shipments of money. Trains No. 1 and 4, which take most of the treasure shipments already have been garrisoned with these guards.

A Peer for Buller.

London, Nov. 24.—General Buller's home newspaper, The North Devon Herald, says it understands the general

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will be made a peer when the New Year's honor list is issued and that he will assume the title of Lord Buller of Ladysmith.

Victim of Conspirators.

Clarksville, Tex., Nov. 24.—Two other men were arrested and jailed charged with being connected in the shooting of Simmons at Annona. They were released on bond. The shooting appears to have been the outcome of a conspiracy.

Woman Spy Dead.

Detroit, Nov. 24.—Mrs. Hiram Hinsdale, who distinguished herself by her heroism during the civil war, and who rendered valuable service to the government as a spy, is dead at St. Mary's hospital at the age of 94.

Diphtheria at Corsicana.

Corsicana, Tex., Nov. 24.—The 7-year old son of Rev. W. B. Sagan died of diphtheria. Two children of Conductor Harry Brinn of the Houston and Texas Central have diphtheria.

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TREAT THE HOME MERCHANT RIGHT.

A writer in the Caldwell News Chronicle makes the following timely suggestions: "There is an old saying that 'Competition is the life of trade,' but it depends on the nature of the competition. If its basic principle is to do justly and love honesty, I grant it is true. But if its principle is to do a cut-throat business, without considering the right of others, then I say it is all false and unjust as it can be.

The interior merchants have "carried" the people through the hardest part of the year. They have sold them goods on the prospect of a crop. Now that there is a little money in the country, Houston gets up a big "show" to attract the people to that city in order to get them to buy their Christmas goods. This is not fair, nor just to the home merchant.

To the people I would say, go to Houston if you wish, but when you buy your goods, think of your home merchant. He has favored you, now favor him. Do not ask him to help you when you needed help and go off to another place

and spend your cash. Help him now and he will be in a better condition to help you next spring and summer. I am not a merchant, as the editor will inform you if you ask him; but all that concerns home affairs interests me. Buy your Christmas goods at home and help to build up your own town and county."

BALL STARTED.

Elsewhere in the Eagle this morning will be found a call for a mass meeting of citizens to be held at opera house Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock for the purpose of organizing an industrial league to promote the future development of Bryan. The call is broad enough to include every citizen of the town and every man who possibly can attend should be on hand. The first matter demanding attention from the proposed league is the industrial school for girls, and no time can be lost in beginning the fight for it. In a word, be on hand. The ball has been started and we must keep it rolling.

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ROUTE AGREED UPON.

Isthmian Canal Commission Make a Report Favoring Nicaragua.

COST IS \$120,000,000.

The Report Will Recommend a Canal Thirty Feet Deep—The Panama Route, it Is Said, Could Not Be Controlled.

Washington, Nov. 24.—The isthmian canal commission will report in favor of the Nicaragua route.

President McKinley will have the preliminary report in his hands within two or three days. It is now complete and its various parts are being assembled. It is about as follows:

1. It is in favor of a canal across Nicaragua as against all other routes proposed.

2. It favors the construction of a canal 30 feet in depth at a cost of about \$120,000,000.

3. It discourages the building of a 35-foot canal at present, although estimates for a canal of such depth have been made. A 35-foot canal would cost about \$175,000,000. The report recommends, however, that the locks and dams of the 30-foot canal to be so constructed as to permit the canal to be deepened 5 feet when commerce requires such increased depth.

4. The report practically eliminates from consideration the Panama canal which route has been the only real competitor of the Nicaragua waterway. This is owing to the apparent inability of Director General Hartin to make a proposition of sale to the United States.

THE SHIELDS CAPTURE.

Report Shows the Americans Fought Hard but Were Outnumbered.

Washington, Nov. 24.—Mail advises from Manila give the story of the capture of Captain Shields and 50 men of the Forty-ninth infantry by the insurgents in Marinduque. Captain Shields and his party went up against an overwhelming force. It is declared to have been one of the most brilliant incidents in the history of bush fighting in the archipelago.

The 50 Americans were pursuing a party of insurgents of superior force into the mountains when they were ambushed in a canyon by a force of 250 riflemen and 1800 bolomen. They made a continuous fight for 8 hours killing a large number of the insurgents and being overpowered only after they had fired their last shot and practically were smothered in a hand to hand fight with their 2000 adversaries.

Sergeants Williams and McCarthy, who were in charge of some of the wounded, came in for particular praise. They stood off their assailants for about three hours, surrendering after their cartridges had been expended.

Scarcely a man in the expedition escaped being grazed or slightly wounded during the fight. The total list of killed amounted to only five. Captain Shields was badly wounded early in the fight, but he continued to direct the operations until he was again wounded, this time more seriously.

Killed by the Cars.

Ennis, Tex., Nov. 24.—Thomas Rooney, a Texas Midland section hand, was run over by a freight car and instantly killed in the railroad yard near the Houston and Texas Central roundhouse. It is supposed he was either asleep on the track or tried to swing onto the freight car as it was backing on a switch. One leg was crushed and his body cut almost in twain.

Must Ship Out Cigarettes.

Dubuque, Ia., Nov. 24.—An order came to all tobacco dealers here to at once ship out of the state their entire stock of cigarettes and cigarette papers. The order came from the American Tobacco company in conformity with the recent decision of the United States supreme court.

To Forbid Adulteration.

Austin, Nov. 24.—Senator A. B. Davidson of Cuero, was here Friday on business with the departments. He will introduce a public health bill at the next session of the legislature and insist on its passage. The bill will prohibit the adulteration of foods by imposing a penalty for selling pure foodstuff.

Irrigation Congress.

Chicago, Nov. 24.—The session of the National Irrigation congress on Friday was devoted to papers and addresses pertaining exclusively to the question of practical watering and reclamation of arid lands and arid plant life.

Messenger to Carry the Vote.

Austin, Nov. 24.—L. A. Petit, Austin correspondent of the Houston Post, has announced as an applicant for the position of messenger to carry the Texas vote to the electoral college at Washington.

Coaling Station in China.

Washington, Nov. 24.—Upon the completion of peace negotiations with China the United States will ask permission of the Chinese government to establish a coaling station in the province of Shan Tung.

President's Message Almost Complete.

Washington, Nov. 24.—The cabinet meeting yesterday was unimportant. The president's message is almost complete and there was some discussion of various recommendations it contained.

SAVED BY MILITIA.

A Negro Kept from Being Lynched by Troops in Iowa.

Ottumwa, Ia., Nov. 24.—A detail of company G, Iowa National guard, was called to Albia to assist in preventing the lynching of Alvah Booker, a negro charged with attacking Mrs. Sarah Hovely. The crime took place the night of Oct. 30 and since that time Booker has been confined in the penitentiary at Fort Madison for safekeeping. He was taken to Albia for preliminary hearing. Albia residents had heard of his coming and met him in force at the railway station. The presence of the Ottumwa guards with their bayoneted guns kept the mob at a respectable distance.

FIVE MINES DESTROYED.

A Slide Was the Cause and Miners Narrowly Missed Being Caught.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Nov. 24.—A big landslide has occurred north of Clarksburg, in which five of the largest coal mines were completely destroyed and several miners' homes shattered. No lives were lost as it happened just before time for the miners to enter for work. The loss will be heavy. The slide completely changed the course of a large creek. The place looks like a piece of undeveloped land, there being no evidence left that it was ever a coal field.

STILL REFUSES.

Porte Will Not Grant Permission for a Consulate at Harpoort.

Constantinople, Nov. 24.—United States Charge d'Affaires Griscom called upon Tewfik Pasha, minister for foreign affairs Friday to urge a settlement of the difficulty in relation to granting an exequatuer to Dr. Thomas H. Norton, who some time ago was appointed by President McKinley to establish a consulate at Harpoort. The Porte, however, is firm in a refusal to grant the request for an exequatuer.

Celery Growers Combine.

Los Angeles, Nov. 24.—The celery growers in the peat lands of Orange county have associated for the purpose of controlling the selling price of their product. In the past there has been considerable dissatisfaction over the manner in which the product has been disposed of in the eastern market, and it is proposed to remedy that difficulty. The growers combining in their interests represent about 700 acres of celery, and the greatest celery growing section in this country, and they propose to sell their crop on the ground at a fixed price, after the style of the Walnut Growers' association. The price asked for the product is 15 cents per dozen on the ground.

Little Can Be Expected.

London, Nov. 24.—The request of the United States Ambassador Joseph H. Choate, for the suppression of the Filipino junta at Hong Kong, has been put in the hands of the colonial office. It will probably take some weeks to ascertain the facts with doubtful results. An official said: "Hong Kong, of course, is part of a free country, and we cannot take too arbitrary steps, even to please America. Most of the plots are hatched in London but we are powerless to suppress them."

Rolling the Cherokees.

Muskogee, I. T., Nov. 24.—The Cherokee enrolling party of the Dawes commission have reached Tahlequah, I. T. They will continue enrolling citizens of the Cherokee nation until Dec. 15. The enrollment of the Cherokee freedmen commences after that date. The freedmen are former slaves of Cherokee Indians. It is the policy of the nation to prevent as many of them as possible being placed on the final rolls of the Cherokees.

Wedding Guests Robbed.

Owensboro, Ky., Nov. 24.—Pickpockets went through the crowd watching the Beckham-Fuqua wedding party Thursday night, robbing a number of local and visiting people of considerable sums as well as of diamonds and watches. All the missing pocketbooks were found carefully placed in a corner of the Lutheran church and returned to their owners. Not a valuable paper had been molested, and nothing but the money was abstracted.

Seizure of the Taboga.

London, Nov. 24.—The seizure of the British steamer Taboga by the Colombian government officials at Panama is not regarded seriously here. The British gunboat Pheasant will investigate the matter and in due course of time Colombia will probably be asked for an explanation. But the affair is not likely to produce any striking developments.

Alarm Over Czar's Illness.

London, Nov. 24.—There is a growing feeling in England that the illness of the czar is more serious than the official bulletins describe it. Rumors of his death have recently been current and though evidently circulated for stock exchange purposes, callers at the Russian embassy cannot obtain very assuring news.

Santa Fe County Judgments.

Santa Fe, Nov. 24.—Probate Clerk Atansio Romero has recorded judgments against the board of commissioners of Santa Fe county for \$60,926.02 and \$74,358.17, respectively, in favor of Bird S. Coler and Elverton Chapman, of New York. These judgments represent interest due on bonds issued by the county.

Heavy Rain in Kentucky.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Nov. 24.—The heaviest rain ever known in western Kentucky fell Friday night, leaving Little river higher than in 33 years. Many houses are under several feet of water and in some of the streets the water is three feet deep. The damage here and in all this section is very heavy.

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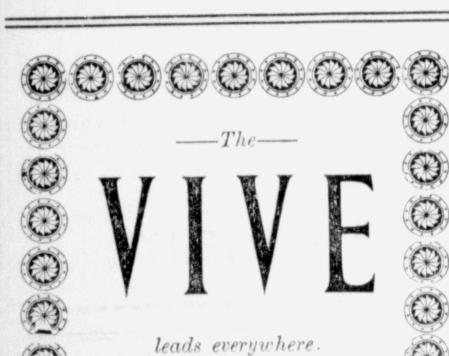
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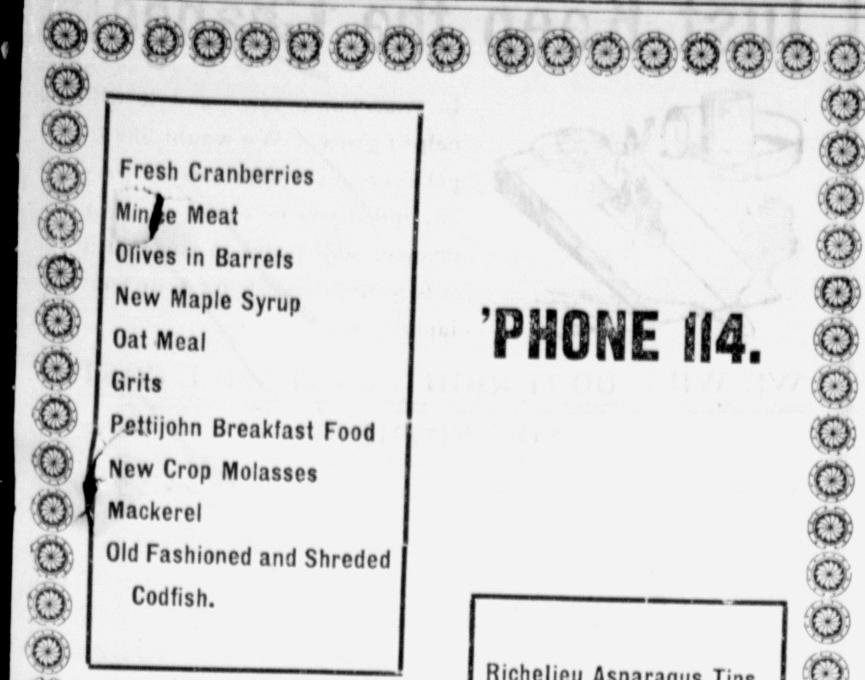
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I wish to make application for ONE of the fifty Vive Souvenir Cameras on condition that I have advertised to GIVE AWAY on Wednesday, Nov. 28, on condition that I buy my first dozen 2 1/2 x 2 1/2 plates to use with same from you for 25 cents, at the time of receiving the camera at your store.

Sign your name here

P. O. Box _____ Address _____



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Minced Meat
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Strawberries
Dried Peaches
Jellies, Etc.
Pin Money Sweet Pickles
Celery Sauce
Walnut Pickles
Cream of Mustard

Ursuline Convent.

Members of the Committee representing the citizens of Bryan in building the Ursuline Convent have met with the architect, Mr. N. J. Clayton of Galveston, at the office of Doremus & Butler yesterday afternoon. Mr. Clayton showed plans of the building which will be three stories high, with a ten foot basement and a 150 foot front. The building is 20 per cent larger in area and general dimensions than the San Antonio building which it was at first proposed to duplicate. The plans include splendid arrangements for an educational institution of its kind. These improvements were suggested by comparison with other buildings heretofore constructed and now in use. After looking over the plans and discussing the matter thoroughly Dr. Paul M. Raynor, W. S. Howell and J. W. Doremus were appointed a committee to contract at once for the work of excavation for the foundations, and Architect Clayton said he would have the plans and specifications for the building here by Dec. 1 to submit to the contractors for bids.

A CALL.

We, the undersigned citizens of Bryan, would respectfully request the attendance of every business man, clerk, mechanic and other citizen at a mass meeting at the opera house on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The object of the meeting is to organize an industrial league. The future development and prosperity of our city demand an organization of this character, and it is hoped that every citizen will feel it to his interest to attend this meeting.

J. W. DOREMUS,
C. F. MOORE
J. E. BUTLER
G. S. PARKER
P. M. RAYNOR
W. S. HOWELL
J. NO. DALY
J. L. FOUNTAIN.

Hotel Arrivals.
CENTRAL.

Gains Colson, W. W. Woodward, Iola; H. W. Spelman and wife, Basil McHenry; George Ebling, D. Findley, Chicago.

EXCHANGE.

C. G. Wood, Mumford; G. M. Winstead, Houston; J. O. Mayer, Chicago; Geo. W. Jolomick, Dallas; A. M. Ferguson, Austin; J. O. Fink, Taylor; E. W. McNutt, Hearne; Louis Williams, Nashville; J. F. Morrison, St. Louis; Arthur Kahn, Chicago; C. A. Maney, Dallas.

Thanksgiving Excursion.

On account of the football game between the A. and M. College and the University of Texas on Thanksgiving day the Calvert, Waco & Brazos Valley railroad will run an excursion from Bryan to Austin for the game, round trip \$1.50. Train will leave Bryan at 7:30 a.m. Nov. 29, and leave Austin for return trip at 9:45 p.m. same date.

D. C. DeMare,
308 Agent.

A Novel Idea.

Harrison Bros'. Minstrels give a cake walk on the street at noon, each day during parade. The men and women in costume do the cake walk as only the colored aristocracy can. One of the special features of the performances is the singing of the Church Choir, who render among other songs "The Holy City." The show appears here Saturday December 1.

Notice to Band Members.

All members of Third Regiment band are requested to be at the band room at 2 p.m. today. Business of importance. By order of R. J. Newland, Chief Musician.

Varsity Won.

News was received late yesterday afternoon from Austin that Varsity won in the game with the Kansas City Medics by a score of 30-0.

At the Baptist church today, Dr. Sims will conduct the usual services. Morning subject, "The People Having a Mind to Work." Evening subject, "The Combined Influence of Spiritual Forces." The congregation and friends are invited to be present. The ladies have their Free Will Offering at the morning services.

H. C. Kyle returned yesterday from Nursery, where he was called by the death of his brother, T. M. Kyle.

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A NEW REPUBLIC.

One Cut Out of Brazil and Bolivia Is Named Republic of Acre.

Denver, Nov. 24.—Henry W. Phillips, the first minister to the United States from the new South American Republic of Acre, is registered here from Aricopolis. "Aricopolis," said Phillips, "is the capital of the Republic of Acre, the first republic, we like to call it, by way of variation, and some call us rubber republic. I daresay its nationality is not widely known, being new and to secure formal recognition on the part of the United States is my mission. I am in a hurry to be at Washington before the opening of congress."

During the past 15 months the new republic, known by the name of Acre, has sprung up in a forest country lying partly in Brazil and partly in Bolivia. It had been established by a rich Brazilian banker and rubber dealer named Aries, who has set himself up as president over a community of about 20,000 people, all of whom are in his employment. Demonstrations have been made against the little country both Brazil and Bolivia.

Can Issue His Souvenirs.

Victor, Col., Nov. 24.—Joseph Leshner, who recently made and issued 100 silver souvenirs which he called "Referendum Dollars," says he has assurances from the United States district attorney that his coinage scheme is not illegal and he has ordered a new die, from which 10,000 souvenirs will be struck off immediately. The silver will cost him \$6500 and the making \$1500. He will sell the coins for \$12.50 and redeem them on demand for the same amount. The new coins will bear the name of a Victor groceryman who agrees to redeem in merchandise or money.

Abandons "Referendum Dollars."

Victor, Col., Nov. 24.—Joseph Leshner's plan to coin a souvenir "referendum dollar" out of silver has apparently been abandoned. He was preparing to invest about \$6000 in the enterprise, but he had been informed, it is claimed by officials of the government, that his coinage plans are contrary to law and that his dies already made will be confiscated. The silver pieces which he issued will now be sought for at a premium.

Two Farmers Held Up.

Denton, Tex., Nov. 24.—George Hammock and Erice Hammert, young farmers, while returning home Thursday night were held up and robbed by three men who, covering them with a shotgun, demanded their money on pain of instant death. Hammock had \$44, all of which he gave up at the point of the gun, and Hammert was more fortunate in having but \$12.

The Champion Voter.

Mattoon, Ills., Nov. 24.—Rev. S. K. Reed, who lives in Champaign, voted for President William McKinley at the election Nov. 6, being the twentieth presidential candidate for whom he has voted, a fact that probably cannot be paralleled in many places in this country. The first presidential candidate Reed voted for was Henry Clay in 1824.

May Restore to Solvency.

Washington, Nov. 24.—The comptroller of currency has informed National Bank Examiner Tucker, temporary receiver of the German National bank of Newport, Ky., that efforts are being made by the directors and stockholders of the bank to restore the bank to solvency.

A Furniture Factory.

Texarkana, Tex., Nov. 24.—A number of leading business men have taken steps to establish another furniture factory. The capital stock is placed at \$25,000, all of which has been subscribed for and fully paid up. The site upon which the new enterprise will likely be erected is on Rose Hill, Texas side.

Boy Cut to Pieces.

Alvarado, Tex., Nov. 24.—An unknown boy went to sleep on the Santa Fe track about four miles west of here. A double header freight train ran over his body and cut it to pieces. There was nothing about him by which he could be identified. He was apparently about 16 years of age.

Constable Killed.

Smithville, Tex., Nov. 24.—John Jenkins, constable of this precinct, was shot and instantly killed here in a saloon. The particulars of the killing will be brought out at the inquest. Steve Wilson went to Bastrop and surrendered to Sheriff Davis.

For a Pork Packer.

Fort Worth, Tex., Nov. 24.—An effort is being made to get business men of Fort Worth interested in the erection of a pork packery in this city. It is probable that a meeting will be held to discuss the matter.

Convicted of Burglary.

McKinney, Tex., Nov. 24.—P. E. Denton, formerly prominent business man of this city, was convicted in the district court here of burglary and his punishment assessed at two years in the penitentiary.

Hold Up a Farmer.

Clarksville, Tex., Nov. 24.—Ed Bledsoe, a farmer living six miles east of town, was held up by two highwaymen as he was returning home. They took his money, about \$7.50.

Died of His Injuries.

Abilene, Tex., Nov. 24.—Wallace Smith, the young man who was hurt by being thrown from his horse on J. E. Chandler's ranch last week, died from his injuries.

Mrs. Davis' Maid in Want.

Chicago, Nov. 24.—The maid who served Mrs. Jefferson Davis and took care of her things at Richmond when the family fled is in want in Chicago.

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AFTER THAT WILL.

Efforts Made to Force Patrick Produce the One He Has.

New York, Nov. 24.—Surrogate Fitzgerald heard argument on the application to compel the production by Albert Patrick of a document dated June 12, 1900, purporting to be the last will of William M. Rice, the Texas millionaire. Patrick is now in the Tombs on a charge of forging Rice's name to two checks. Attorneys representing Patrick opposed the application which was made by William B. Hornblower on behalf of John D. Bartine, one of the executors named in a will executed by Rice Sept. 26, 1894.

Mr. Hornblower said the reason the applicants wanted the alleged will of 1900 placed in the custody of the court was that photographs might be taken of it and a chemical analysis made by experts in order that it might be determined whether it was a genuine document or a forgery. One of the objections made to the production of the papers was that charges had been made against Patrick of forgery.

"They are asking for the production of a forgery," said Mr. Harby, Patrick's attorney, "and we do not admit it is a forgery. They are not asking us to produce a will, but a forgery, and on that ground I call on your honor to deny this motion."

Surrogate Fitzgerald reserved his decision and directed counsel to submit briefs on the law of the case.

VAN WYCK NOT OUSTED.

Roosevelt Refuses to Dismiss Him for Being in the American Ice Trust.

Albany, Nov. 24.—Governor Roosevelt has denied the application for the removal from office of Mayor Robert A. Van Wyck of New York City on the grounds that while he was undoubtedly a stockholder in the American Ice company, there has been no proof that he wilfully violated the law forbidding a public official to be a stockholder in a corporation having dealings with his municipality.

The governor's memorandum says: "I concur in the attorney general's opinion. The so-called ice trust is not a corporation in which the mayor of New York should have stock. But no proof has been offered of any wilful violation of the law on the part of the mayor such as would justify the drastic measure of removing him from office."

"The normal remedy for bad government must be an appeal to the people and the wholly unexceptional cases is desirable to substitute for this appeal to the people with an appeal to the power of removal or the power of impeachment. The case is therefore dismissed."

Rebuked Grand Jurors.

Guthrie, O. T., Nov. 24.—Judge Burford called in the grand jury the first thing on the opening of court Friday afternoon and rebuked them for not bringing in indictments for gambling. His remarks were brief and sharp. He said that sufficient information had been received by him to know that there were three men who were not doing their duty and following the instructions of the court. He then discharged from further service three of the persons and ordered the sheriff to draw six new jurors. He excused the jurors until Dec. 3, when they will report to continue investigations of the gamblers.

Killed by Indians.

Ensenada, Mex., Nov. 24.—A report has reached here of the killing of three men near Juarez by Papachoo Indians. The report states that one Acuno, who had a store at Juarez, was robbed of cattle by Indians. With the assistance of a neighbor named Sotello and a rural he gave chase. Subsequently a party taking cattle through the Colorado river discovered the three men dead. Mounted police are being sent from Ensenada.

Several Men Under Arrest.

Little Rock, Nov. 24.—Officers have arrested here eight men charged with vagrancy. Two of the prisoners are suspected in connection with the train robbery at Gifford Wednesday night. News from Stuttgart says Deputy Sheriff Joe Smith arrested five men there supposed to be the train robbers. The men were making their way north on the Cotton Belt road.

Suspected of Train Robbery.

St. Louis, Nov. 24.—James Wheeler, who declares he is a railroad man from Paducah, Ky., was arrested at the Union station here on suspicion of being connected with the holdup of the Iron Mountain train near Gifford, Ark., Wednesday night. Wheeler had \$400 in his possession at the time of his arrest.

To Rebuild Galveston's Forts.

New York, Nov. 24.—Mr. and Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., are rejoicing over the birth of a girl who will become the heiress of the Vanderbilt millions. Mrs. Vanderbilt was Virginia Fair.

Verdict for the Trusts.

New York, Nov. 24.—Charles R. Flint in a speech before the Outlook Club at Montclair, N. J., declared that the voters settled the trust question and that trusts have come to stay.

Kentucky Sails for Smyrna.

Naples, Nov. 24.—The United States battleship Kentucky which arrived here Nov. 19 has sailed for Smyrna.

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Attorney, Chas. Gainer.
Tax Collector, J. J. Adams.
Tax Assessor, R. M. Nall.
Sheriff, T. C. Nunn.
Treasurer, A. W. Buchanan.
District Clerk, J. W. Batts.
Commissioners: R. J. Deens, Lee Edge, Felix Philips, P. H. Arrington.

Schools Board.—Dr. J. W. Howell, president; J. Allen Myers, secretary; W. T. James, A. M. Rhodes, M. Parker, J. B. Mike, H. C. Robinson.

CHURCHES.

Baptist—A. M. Simms, pastor; Services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; Sunday school 9:45 a. m.; prayer-meeting Thursday night.

Methodist—E. L. Shettles, pastor; Services 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday; Sunday school 9:45 a. m.; Epworth League, Sunday 7 p. m.; prayer-meeting Tuesday night.

Christian—Jewell Howard, of Waco, pastor; Services first and second Sundays, at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; Sunday school 9:45 a. m.; Christian Endeavor 3 p. m. Sunday. Prayer-meeting Wednesday night.

Christian Science Service—Every Sunday at 4 p. m. and Wednesday evening meeting at 4 p. m. at the Old Baptist Church. All are cordially invited to attend.

St. Andrew's Episcopal—Herbert E. Bowers, L. L. D., rector; Holy communion first Sunday in each month. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 a. m. Evening prayer at 7:30 p. m.

Presbyterian—J. D. West, pastor; Services morning and evening 1st, 3rd and 4th Sundays in each month; Sunday school 9:5 a. m.; prayer-meeting Wednesday.

Free Communion Baptist—A. M. Stewart, pastor; Services every Sunday night in each month; Sunday school 10 a. m.

St. Joseph's Catholic—Florin Kolin, pastor; Mass at 8 a. m. Sunday.

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LODGE MEETINGS.

Brazos Camp, No. 104, W. W. Meets second and fourth Friday nights in each month. W. W. Johnson, C. C. Joe B. Reed, clerk.

Bryan Tent No. 16, K. O. T. M. Meets nights first and third Monday in each month. J. H. Mawhinney, C. Joe B. Reed, R. K.

Bryan Lodge No. 980, Home Forum—Meets nights second, and fourth Wednesday each month. W. T. James president; Joe B. Reed, financier.

Bryan Lodge No. 409, National Aid—Meeting night first Tuesday in each month. W. W. Griffin, president; C. C. Dulany, secretary.

Ivanhoe Commandery No. 8 Knight Templars—Meet 2nd Tuesday in each month. Jno. T. Garrett, E. C. H. G. Rhodes, secretary.

W. T. Austin Chapter No. 87, R. A. M.—Meets third Monday in each month. W. H. Nall, H. P. Joe B. Reed, Secretary.

Brazos Lodge No. 129, A. F. & A. M.—Meets fourth Monday in each month. Tom A. Searcy, W. M. D. C. DeMaret, Secretary.

Brazos Lodge No. 64, K. of P.—Meets first and third Tuesday in each month. D. F. Dansby, C. C., D. C. DeMaret, K. of R. & S.

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